

ICANN85 GAC Agenda Setting Call (1/2)

14 January 2026
13:00 UTC

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Governmental Advisory Committee

ICANN85 Schedule for Review and Discussion

Time	Saturday 7 March 2026 (Day 1)	Sunday 8 March 2026 (Day 2)	Monday 9 March 2026 (Day 3)		Tuesday 10 March 2026 (Day 4)	Wed. 11 March 2026 (Day 5)	Thursday 12 March 2026 (Day 6)	Time	
9:00	1. GAC Opening Plenary (60 mins)	7. [PLACEHOLDER] GAC Meeting with the RSSAC and RSSGWG Leaderships (60 mins)	Welcome Ceremony and Community Excellence Award (75 mins)		13. GAC Meeting with the ALAC (60 mins)	18. Open Slot (Potential meeting with IETF) (60 mins)	Community Session: Reviews of Reviews (75 mins)	9:00	
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10:00	Break (30 mins)	Break (30 mins)			Break (30 mins)	Break (30 mins)	Break (30 mins)	10:00	
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10:30	2. GAC Operational Updates incl. Communiqué Review (45 mins)	8. GAC Discussion on New gTLDs Next Round (90 mins)	Community Session: From Stability to Survivability: ICANN's role in the Future of Internet Resilience (75 mins)		14. GAC Discussion on WHOIS Registration Data Issues (60 mins)	19. Emerging Topics for GAC Discussion and/or Communiqué Drafting (90 mins)	ICANN Public Forum (90 mins)	10:30	
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11:30	3. Meeting with the ASO [PLACEHOLDER] (45 mins)				15. Emerging Topics (DNS abuse/WHOIS) (30 mins)			11:30	
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12:00	Lunch Break (75 mins)	Lunch Break (75 mins)	Lunch Break (75 mins)		Lunch Break (75 mins)	Lunch Break (75 mins)	Lunch Break (75 mins)	12:00	
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13:00	4. Universal Acceptance Discussion (75 mins)	9. GAC Meeting with GNSO (75 mins)	GNSO Abuse PDP Session (75 mins)	Community Session: WSIS+20 Lessons Learned and Next Steps (75 mins)	16 (a). GAC Communiqué (75 mins)	16 (c). GAC Communiqué (75 mins)	16 (f). GAC Communiqué (75 mins)	13:00	
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14:00	Break (30 mins)	Break (30 mins)	Break (30 mins)		Break (30 mins)	Break (30 mins)	Break (30 mins)	14:00	
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14:30	GNSO Abuse PDP Session (60 mins)	5. Capacity Development on NxR (60 mins)	10. GAC Operations (HLGM Agenda and NomCom Prep) (60 mins)	GNSO Abuse PDP Session (60 mins)	Q&A with ICANN Org Executive Team (60 mins)	17. GAC Meeting with the ICANN Board (60 mins)	16 (d). GAC Communiqué (60 mins)	20. GAC Wrap-Up (60 mins)	14:30
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15:30	Break (30 mins)	Break (30 mins)	Break (30 mins)		Break (30 mins)	Break (30 mins)	Break (30 mins)	15:30	
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16:00	GNSO Abuse PDP Session (60 mins)	6. Capacity Development on NxR [practical session] (60 mins)	11. GAC Discussion with CCG RoR (60 mins)	12. GAC Discussion on DNS Abuse Mitigation (60 mins)	16 (b). GAC Communiqué (60 mins)	16 (e). GAC Communiqué (60 mins)	ICANN Board Meeting (60 mins)	16:00	
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- Second Agenda Setting Call (session substance): Mid-February
- Joint Meeting Agendas for discussion
 - GAC/GNSO Leaderships call
 - GAC/ALAC Leaderships call
 - GAC bilaterals prep call
- Pre-Meeting webinars (early March)
 - Welcome webinar
 - First Timers webinar

THANK YOU!